Oh! twine me a bower.

Ballad,

Sung by

MISS ROCHE,

at the

Melodist's Annual Concert,

Written by

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VOICE

PIANO FORTE

ANDANTE

Dolce

hr *hr*

f

Oh twine me a bow'r all of wood-bine and ro-ses, Far,

pia

far from the path of your common place joys; Where the

ten

gem of contentment in silence re-poses un-sul-lied by tears and un-

mf

shaken by noise, Yes there would I dwell, in my own flowry cell Nor the

pia

dream of am-bi-tion, of hon- - our, or pow-er, Should .....

Cres *ff*

tempt me to part from my own hap-py bow-er. Should

ad lib: *tr*

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tempt me to part from my own happy bower.

a Tempo

tr *tr* *f*

True friendship should light up his torch at my dwelling To

pia

cheer me when youth and its pleasures were past; Without friends where on

earth are the joys worth telling, For friendship thro' years and thro'

ten:

mf

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